

NATIONAL SUMMARY OF MEATS GRADED  
(POUNDS IN THOUSANDS)

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NOVEMBER		FOUR WEEK TOTALS					11/03/02 TO 11/30/02		
BEEF									
QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED	% OF TOTAL STEER AND HEIFER SLAUGHTER
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5				
PRIME	417	11,453	36,619	6,508	996	12,143	68,135	4.3	4.0
CHOICE	33,203	322,568	469,366	49,802	6,283	57,191	938,413	59.3	55.0
SELECT	77,401	279,631	182,784	10,690	1,084	25,508	577,098	36.4	33.8
STANDARD	0	0	0	0	0	32	32	0.0	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0.0	
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.0	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
YIELD ONLY	15,561	24,087	16,139	1,986	318				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	126,583	637,739	704,908	68,986	8,681				
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	8.2	41.2	45.6	4.5	0.6				

96.2% of Federal Inspected Steer and Heifer slaughter represents total Steers and Heifers Graded.

0.0% of Federal Inspected Cow slaughter represents total Cows graded.

83.0% of Federal Inspected Beef slaughter represents total Beef (Steers, Heifers, and Cows) graded.

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	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5						
PRIME	3	176	421	199	62	0	861	6.6	PRIME	315	6.6
CHOICE	512	4,715	5,496	1,225	240	0	12,188	93.4	CHOICE	4,395	92.7
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	GOOD	30	0.6
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	STANDARD	0	0.0
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	UTILITY	0	0.0
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0				TOTAL	4,740	100.0
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	516	4,891	5,917	1,424	302				30.1% of Federal Veal and Calf slaughter represents total Veal and Calf graded.		
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	4.0	37.5	45.3	10.9	2.3				TOTAL BULL/BULLOCK		0
									TOTAL PORK		

83.3% of Federal Inspected Lamb slaughter represents total Lambs Graded.

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	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5				
PRIME	519	14,271	45,628	8,109	1,241	15,130	84,898	4.3%	4.0
CHOICE	41,372	401,928	584,842	62,054	7,829	71,261	1,169,286	59.2%	55.0
SELECT	96,444	348,427	227,753	13,320	1,351	31,783	719,078	36.4%	33.8
STANDARD	0	0	0	0	0	40	40	0.0%	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.0%	
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	0.0%	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
YIELD ONLY	19,390	30,013	20,110	2,475	396				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	157,725	794,639	878,333	85,958	10,817				
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	8.1%	41.2%	45.5%	4.4%	0.5%				

LAMB AND MUTTON

QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5			
PRIME	51	2,616	6,263	2,957	920	0	12,807	6.5%
CHOICE	7,620	70,117	81,718	18,214	3,570	0	181,239	93.4%
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	7,671	72,733	87,981	21,171	4,490			
YIELD GRADED	3.9%	37.4%	45.3%	10.9%	2.3%			

VEAL AND CALF

QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
PRIME	1,672	6.6%
CHOICE	23,347	92.7%
GOOD	162	0.6%
STANDARD	0	0.0%
UTILITY	0	0.0%
TOTAL	25,181	

TOTAL BULL/BULLOCK 0  
TOTAL PORK 0

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